The Second Exhibition of the Metropolitan Mechanics' Institute,

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upened at the city of Washington on Thursday, the 8th garany, 1855, in the new and splendid hall of the Institution, which is one of the most magnificent rooms

pectfully soli-it from the Lapres those specimens

nihitors, half with the reception of goods on Monday, b day of January; and on the evening of Thursday, the 8th of ry, st 70 close, the exhibition will be formally opened for excited on or visiters, and continue open about four weeks, riche deposites after Saturday right, 3d of February, can be dupon the judges lists for competition or premium, except set committee shall be satisfied were despatched from a distinction to the committee shall be satisfied were despatched from a distinction to have reached the shall by that day, but failed to arom unavoidable defention.

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s designed for exhibition only will be received, free of ill Trieday right, 6th of Pebruary, at 10 o'clock; after ne, deposites will be subject to a charge of from 50 cents each article deposited new and the contribute articles of their own flake inces and minors who contribute articles of their own flake ing shall specify. their age and the time they may have

r invention shall specify their age and the time tory may acreved at their business.

All articles deposited for competition and premium must be of American manufacture, conspicuously labelled with appropriate asmes; the name of the maker and raventor, (if known,) and the same of the depositor; a copy of which label must be furnished the clerk at the time of bringing the goods for entry on the record Prices may be affixed, or not, at the opion of the exhibitor. Depositors, at the time of entry, will receive a tecket of title to their goods, which ticket will also admit them to the exhibition at all times when open to the public.

The Tonds should be addressed as follows: **Exhibition of the

Sale of alternate sections in the State of Missouri. By the President of the United States.

By the Prealisent of the United States.

Neursmane of law, I. PRANKII.N PIERCE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known in public spice of the sections and parts of sections, being all those learning old manifers, which remain to the United States within six miles on at a higher fit the Hamilton and St. Joseph valinoud, in the State of Missouri, subject to sale at two dollars and fifty cruits per acre, as provided by the act of 10th June, 1835, entitled "An act granting the right of way to the State of Missouri, and a portion of the public lands, to mid in the construction of certain rathroads in said State," and specially excepted from graduation as to price by the act of '4th August, 1854, will be held at the undermentioned land offices in said State at the periods hereinafter designated, to will:

Townships fifty-fice, fifty-riv, fifty-seven, fifty-eight, and fifty-ine, of range six.

Townships fifty-fice, fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty-eight, of rouge ven.
Townships fifty-five, fifty-six, and fifty-seven, of range eight.
Townships fifty-five, fifty-six, and fifty-seven, of range nine.
Townships fifty-five, fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty-sight, of range

Townships fifty-siz, fifty-seven, and fifty cight, of range eleven.
Fownships fifty-siz, fifty-seven, and fifty-sizht, of range twelve. t the land office at MILAN, commencing on Monday, the eight

writed the base due, and west of the fifth principal meridian Townships fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty-eight, of range fourteen Townships fifty six, fifty-seven, and firty sight, of range fifteen. Townships fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty-eight, of range sixteen. Townships fifty six, fifty-seven, and fifty-eight, of range seven

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Townships fifty-six: fifty-seven, and fifty-sight, of range eighteer
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North of the base line, and west of the fifth principal meridia Townships fifty six, fifty seven, and fifty eight, of range twenty-

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me. Townships fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty cight, of range thirty-Wo. Townships fifty-six, fifty seven, and fifty eight, of range thirtythree.
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Townships fifty-six, fifty-seven, and fifty-sight, of range thirty-The townships herein designated by roman letters are wholly with:

The townships herein designated by roman letters are wholly within the limits of "s six sections in weight on each after of said road," and those in Reflex are partly within said limits, as designated on the diagrams which were turnished to the respective district land offices by the Commissioner of the General Land office.

The lands will be sold subject to the right of way granted by said act of the 10th June, 1852, "too the convenient construction and use of said road as a public highway for transportation;" and therefore the particular treats through which the road passes will be sold as containing the quantities shown by the official plats.

The sections will be offered in the order in which they are advertised; each safe will be kept open for a time sufficient to admit of fibring all the lands, but not exceeding two weeks, and splications to make private entries of the lands offered under this proclassion with not be received until after the close of the public said.

Closes statist my band, at the city of Washington, this fifteenth say of Stpromber, amo Bomini one thousand eight intorted and fifty-four.

FRANKLIN PIERCE.

FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President:
Joy. S. Witson,
Acting Commissioner of the General Lund Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

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Under the act of Congress approved 3d March, 1853, estitled "An act to extend pre-emption rights to certain settlers therein mentioned," the pre-emption laws of the United States as they then extended over the above-mentioned alternate actions, where the settlement and improvement were made prior to the date of allotment, if proves up and paid for at the rate of two dollars and fifty cents per acre, before the day fixed for the public sale. And by the settlement and improvement were made prior to the date of allotment, if proves up and paid for at the rate of one date and the relief of settlers on lands reserved for railroad purposes," persons who settled and improved the above lands prior to the date of subdravad will be entitled to pre-emptions at the ordinary minimum price of the public lands, or at the rate of one dollar and twenty five cents per acre, if proven up and paid for before the day fixed for the public sale. Therefore, every person entitled to the right of precupition to any of the lands above mentioned, under the act of 3d March, 1834, above referred its, on settlements made prior to the 9th of Pebuary, 1834, (the date of allotto-at.) or under the act of 3d March, 1834, on settlements made prior to the date of withdrawal, is required to catablish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper sand office, and make payment therefore at the price fixed by lay as soon as practicable after seeing this notice, and before the day appointed for the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise such claim will be forfeited.

Acting Commissioner of the General Land Office.

[Int. & Star.]

Counsellor at Luw,

Has removed his office to his residence in Franklia flow, corner of K and Thirteenth attests. He will continue to devote his ottention principally to cases in the United States Susreme Court. Having devoted much time to the law concerning patients he will give advice and epinions on legal questions arising in cases before the Patent Office, and on appeals to the chief justice or assistant insides of the District of Columbia; and will also assist in the preparation and trail of with concerning materia.

Mountaines of Genius, in some of its relations to Culture and Society. By Henry Giles, author of Lectures and Essays. Foems by Thomas William Parsons. Geny's Elegy in a Country Church Yard—amall elegantly-filus-brated edition. TAVLOR & MAURY'S
Bookstore, near 6th street.

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VOLUME IV.

"LIBERTY, THE UNION, AND THE CONSTITUTION,"

NUMBER 198.

CITY OF WASHINGTON, SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1854.

Notice is hereby given to the holders of the following-describe stocks of the United States, that this department is prepared to purchase, at any time between the date hereof and the 20th day of No-

preference will be given in the order of time in which said stocks may be officed. The certificates, duly assigned to the United States, by the parties who are to receive the amount thereof, must be transmitted to this department; upon the receipt whereof, a

by the acts of \$47 and 1848, and redocutable, the former on the 31st December, 1867, and the latter on the 30th June, 1868 of 16 per

or Phitadelphia, as the parties may direct. which shall not be actually received at the Treasury on or before the

JAMES GUTHRIE

The time during which the above-named stocks will be purchased

The time during which the above-named stocks will be purchased by this department upon the terms above specified is hereby extended to 3ist December next, inclusive.

As the transfer thooks will be closed on the lat December, when the current half year's interest becomes vested in the stockholder a that date, all certificates of inscribed stock must, in addition to the usual assignment to the United States, have an express ossignment of the interest made by the stockholder thereon. Where the interest made by the stockholder thereon. Where the lateral is not assigned, or where the concess available on the lateral. their goods, which ticket will also admit mean to the all times when open to the public.

N. B.—Goods should be addressed as follows: "Exhibition of the Metropolitan Mechanics' Institute, Wankington, D. C.," and should have the nature of the articles, and the name of the party sending them, distinctly marked on the packages. They should also be accompanied by a detailed invoice.

Circulars containing detailed instructions will be forwarded, and Circulars containing detailed instructions will be forwarded, and containing detailed instructions will be forwarded, and the time of redemption to lat January) will be included with the principal in the settlement.

IAMES GUTHRIE,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Nov. 18, 1854.

Nov 19—di31stDecinif

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

OUBLIC SALE OF AN ELEGANT ESTATE.—On Wednesday, I December 6th, at 12 o'clock, m., on the premises, I shall sell that valuable and costly eathick known as "ingleside."

This property is situated in Washington county, District of Columbix, and contains about one hundred and forly acres of land, all of which is well and substantially fenced. Said property is divided by the "old Mil Road" into two parts. The "farm side," or southern portion, contains about 100 acres, and the "house side," or northern portion, contains about 100 acres, and the "house side," or northern portion, about forly one acres. The "farm side," consisting of entivated and wooded land, is situated between the "old Washington race course" (lying west of 4th street) and Piney Branch Bridge, bounded by Rock Creek on the south and by the county road to Pierce's Mill on the north, about use-half mile be youd the Columbian College, and distant less than two miles from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 14th street.

This farm has been recently surveyed and divided into sites containing from five to twenty acres each, saitable for cottage residences, all of which are abundantly watered by pure and unfailing springs. One of the loss referred to is improved by the erection of a farm house, a large barn, corn-crib, stabling for horses and cows, and a hade for farming utensity, &c., i, either with out-houses, &c., and a hydraulic r-m for supplying water for the buildings.

In the subvision of this property particular care has been taken to give to most of the lists the advantages of extended views towards the city of washington and the Potomac rie, and also a fair proportion of cultivated and wood land to each of its right of the property, which will be exhibited, may be seen the location of the roads to and from the county road to each of the valuation of the 'property which will be exhibited, may be even the tocation of the 'property of fifty-few thousand dollars have been excended within a property of the property whi

The Mansion House (which is entirely new, never having been becupied) is situated on a tract of land containing about forty one c.e., I jung north of the "farm side," bounded on the east by the state of Cot. William Sciden, north and west by Piney Brass, and south by the county road; is superior in point of construction to be superior of the limits of the District. It is irregular frainin villa residence, about 159 feet front by varied depths of from 30 to 60 feet, built in the most substantial manner of trainite and brick, rougheast, and painted in imitation of brown inone, possessing with all an extended view of the Fortomac and many prominent parts of the city of Washington, together with an area of some offices miles of back country. The unitidial contains a draw groom, patter, billiard-room, hall 25 feet wide, library, dimington, butter's partiry and attached to the city of the tower.

The hall, butter's pastry, kitchen, charibers, and dressing rooms reads attached with not and cord waver, by means of any resolution and waver, by means of any resolution and with the state of the city of the tower.

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John Bill teen make a full assignment of all-my effects for their benefits and are extended view of the Fortomac and many prominent parts of the city of Washington, together with bath room, the contained with the contained and waver, by means of any revealed and parts sparing and acquisite of a supplying 7,300 gallons of parts spring grows and the water wines at a strength of the supple of with the strength of the strength of the supple of with the supple of with

The numerous reads to and front "Ingleside" are moscoptionable, starty handsone residences afready surround it. The proximity to the city and healthful location, cannot full to recommend it operans, destring a tural residence. The property with he sold in our as land down in the plat, or dispessed of entire, as the purchaser

six, tweive, and eighteen monors, which is the property on the property.

Lithographed plans of the property may be seen at my countingJAS. C. McGUIRE,
Angionege, Nov 12-cokda

OTICE.—The heirs and representatives of Rudolphus Brill, de-legant, on whose exists letters testamentary were granted by the orphans' court for Washington county, Mayland in the year 1801, are hereby notified to appear in the orphans' court of said county on or before the lat day of "ay, 1855, and establish their right to the tunds now in the hands, or which may be reafter come into the bands, of the nod-regred as administrator de loni; non with the will annexed of said doceared.

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Notice of Lost Land Warrant.

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THIS is to give notice that the subscriber hath ob-I tained from the orpitans' court of Washington county, in the Dis-rict of Uslumbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of trimstead Gant, inte of Washington county, decembed. All person-niving chains against the said decembed are hereby warned to ex-nibit the same, with the vouchors thereof, to the subscriber, on or where the 14th day of November is 1; their may disteriors by law in excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

excluded from all benefit of the said estate. Given under my band this 25th day of November, 1854, F. G. WASHINGTON,

District of Columbia, to wit: ORPHISS' Cours, Washington county, to wit: Nov. 14, 884. Othered that the administrator on the personal extate of Strustas Gant, late in Washington county, deceased, give the outer or quired by law to the accreditors of said deceased, by advarsammen nce a week for three weeks in the Union.
Test: ED. N. ROACH, Register of Wills.

Home Hill Boarding School for Boys. .

Home HIII BOARding School for Boys.

THIS school was opened the first Monday in January, 1854, in the I neighborhood of Pali's Church, Pairfax county, Virginia. It is eight miles from Alexandria, ten from Washington city, and six from Georgetown. The location is one celebrated for its hesilinfulness. The principal aims to made this school one where pupils may acquire a soundly practical and thorough American decation. The acholastic year of 44 weeks is divided into three terms, commencing respectively on the first Monday of January, April, and September.

Energy and tuition \$150 per year, payable per term in advance.

Hundral in the classics will be subjected to an extra charge.

For further particulars address R. F. Judson, Fail's Church, Pairacounty, Vergois.

Nov 26—"awth Jand&cif

A CARO,—To all who wish to purchase good furniture or househas keeping articles of any kind the subscriber would announce that his house-furnishing warerousns, on 7th street, No. 5.30, opposite the Exchange Bank, are well filled with a fine ascortment. None need wait for suction sairs to get bargains, as he is determined not to be outdoor anywhere. He has six rets of beautiful period furniture now in store, and eight or ten sets of enumelled cottage chamber surniture, made to order and finished in superb style.

The smoon is far advanced, the assortment very large, funds very desirable, and great bargains may be expected. Goods delivered safely, free of charge, to all parts of the city or Georgetown.

Nov 38—cod?w

The National Hotel

Washington City, November 14, 1854.

E. D. WILLARD.
Nov 16—4f

Shirts! Shirts! Shirts!

W. H. PAULKNER, the only practical shirt maker in the city would respectfully inform his old customers, members of Congress, and strangers, that by leaving their measures at his shirt man uractory they c. n have shirts made of the best material and war ranted to fit in all cases. The reputation which these shirts have acquired in this city induces the advertiser to invite those genulements have been troub ed with bad-fitting shirts to give him a calfecting assured that they will, on trial, admit their superfority. Sign of the Shirt, Pennsylvania avenue, between Third and 4½ streets, south side.

PARKER'S FANCY STORE. E are just receiving a full supply of goods suitable for the pre-ent season and approaching holidays; and our f lends will fin-new stock to be very choice and very desirable, and that we are ing at very low prices. Among which are—

IN LUBIN'S EXTRACTS: Jockey Club, Musk, Jas-am ne, Violette, Heliotrope, Essence outet, and sixty other odors.

TOILETTE SOAPS 5 gross of Low's brown Windsor sonp 5 gross of Cleaver's honey sonp Twitor's transparent wash balls, &c., &c. COMES, HAIR, TOOTH, AND NAIL-BRUSHES.

PARKER'S Fancy and Perfumery Store, Under National Hote

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Hamilton G. Fant.

Banker and Dealer in Exchange 4c., No. 432 Pennsylvania as nue, Washington, D. C. NCURRENT money, land warrants, and Virginia scrip, bough

No. 38 Louisiana Avenue,

WILL practise in the Supreme Court of the United States and the courts of the District of Columbia.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR DECEMBER.

Jedderfiose's Life of Melanethon; translated by Rev.

Roughing it in the Bu-h; by Mrs. Moodie-Life in the Clearings; by Mrs. Moodie. Outdoors at Idiewild; by N. P. Willis. The Rat Catcher; by Gustav Nieritz. Beantiful Bertha; by Mrs. Tuthiff.

Also, for Rent,

The residence on F street, north side, between 13th and street, formerly occupied by the Hon. John Quincy &dams, honce with be rested furnished or auturnished.

Apply at the banking-house of Chubb Brothers.

wish. The place is well supplied with the choicest imported fruit trees, a. &c., &c.; and being built by the owner for his permanent lence, no expense was spared in combining all the conveniences, forts, and degances which can be found in the most furtherous with good and fashionable boots and above, and all orders shall be conveniences. D ty of its supplies, Janney's show after has been named. "In great cu trai show store" of Washington. Its shelves are supelli-with good and fashionable boots and abocs, and all orders shall be scomptly filled in the factory a ove. Cork soled basets and all work for winter use speedily made to or

HENRY JANNEY,
348 Pa. avenue, between Brown's Hotel and 7th street.
311 C street, opposite Bank of Washington.

AW NOTICE.—The undersigned will attend to business in the Supreme Court of the United States.

P. PHILLIPS.

Nov 1—dlmif

ON RENT -- The residence of the late Gen. Towson, Fan. 17th streets. Both house and grounds have been put in complete order. Gas and furnace heat are carried throughout the house, 10 gether with het and coid water in bath, water closet, kitchen, and

the attention of the public to his elegant so, to forence cline, converse, and vestings, embracing the best styles of the latest unpation, which he is now making up in a style of elegance unsused here or elsewhere.

Nov 30—e02w TO Members of Congress, Citizens, and Strangers.

UST received 100 barrels eastern apples, such as Greenings, Baldwins, and Russets, in fine order, delivered all sound. Private families, boarding-bouse and hotel keepers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. Fine veltow orders in barrels.

Fine yellow ontens in barrels.
Also, New Jersey white Mercer potatoes. Nov 21—e02w Feed Store, 2d street, Pa. avenue

POH RENT —The house at present occupied by the Secretar of War, on 14th street, near the corner of F street, and possession given on the lat of becember.

Rent §1.500 per ansum. The main building contains ten room eight of which are of large size, fourteen feet high in the two principal stories. cipal stories. The back building contains none additional rooms. There are perfectly dry cellars under the entire buildings. Gas is introduced throughout. The premises will not be read-of or a bearling-house Inquire of B. W. Reid, corner of F and 14th streets.

Nov 12-40.

Crosses
Gentlemen's diamond pins and stude
Diamond, evanuelled, ruby, pearl, wedding, and signet rings
Glodd, foh, west, and guard chains
Ladies' fobstalains, lockets, scals, and keys
Glod thimbles mosate, chaneo, lava, enamelied, and plain sleeve
buttons and stude, gold necklaces, &c.
Which, together with the largest assortment of superior gold
vatches and pure silver were ever offered to their customers, they
are selling at unusually low rates.

M. W. GALT & BRO.

M. W. GALT & BRO.,
Sign of the Golden Eagle,
Pennsylvania avenue, between 9th and 10th streets

ALL AND WINTER styles of ready made clothing I of superior cut and finish, embracing the Talma, surrout, neplages, and shaped over sucke; black, blue, and fashionable colors in freek and dress coats; plain and figured caselmere business suits, black and figured pantaloone; vetests, plusins, merino, silk, and sain vests; shirts, collars, drawers, andershirts, ties, gloves, &c. Boys and youthe colling always on hand.

The above articles will be soid at the lowest prices for cash.

NOAR WALKER & CO.,

Marble Hall Clothing Emporision,

Sept 29—Jaw-iwif Brown's Hotel Building.

American Artists' Union. United States and the Canadas, that, for t

BY THE FIRST ARTISTS OF THE AGE, they have determined, in order to create an extensive cale for their one avings, and thus not only give employment to a large number of artists and others, but inspire among our country men a taste for works of art, to present to the purchasers of their engravings, when

250,000 gifts of the actual cost of \$150,000. Even purchaser or a one-dollar engraving, therefore, receives not any an entraving irehly worth the money, but also a ticket which entitles him to one of the gifts when they are distributed. For five dollars a highly finished engraving, beautifully painted in sit, and five gif tickets will be sent; or five dollars' worth of spicuring can be selected from the catalogue and sent by return mail or express.

A copy of the catalogue, together with a specimen of one of the engravings, can be seen at the office of this paper.

For each dollar sent an engraving actually worth that sum and a gift ticket will immediately be forwarded.

AGENTS.

The committee, believing that the success of this great national undertaking will be minerally promoted by the energy and enterprise of intelligent and persevering agents, have resolved to treat with such on the most liberal terms.

Any person wishing to become an agent by sending (postpaid) \$\frac{1}{2}\$ will receive, by return of mail, a one-dollar engraving, a gift cicket, a prospectus, a catalogue, and all other necessary information.

On the final completion of the sate the gifts will be placed in the hands of a committee of the purchasers to be distributed; due notice of which will be given throughout the United States and the Canadas.

LIST OF GIFTS. . \$160 . 100 . 100 . 100 100 50 size 3%4 feet each.

100 elegant oil paintings, 2%3 feet each...

500 steel-plate engravings, brilliantly colo
oil, rich git frames, 24%30 tuches eac

1 first class dwelling in 31st street, New York
city,
22 building lose in 100 and 101st streets, New York
city, each 35, 100 feet deep, at.
100 villa sites, containing each 10,000 square feet,
in the suburbs of New York city, and commanding a magnificent view of the Hudson
river and Long Island sound, in
20 perpetual loans of cash, without interest or security, of \$250 each.
50 perpetual loans of cash, without interest or security, of \$100 each. 12,000 22,000 50,000 5,000 5,000 5,000

2,000 perpetual foung of cash, without interest or security, of \$5 each.... 10,000 Reference in regard to the real estate, F. J. Visscher & Co., Real state Brokers, New York. Orders, (postpaid,) with money en-J. W. HOLBROOKE, Secretary, 505 Broadway, New York.

Oct 27—43mif

On and after Tuesday, November 7, 1854, THE cars leave Alexandria daily for Gordonsville and intermed diate stations at 7½ o'eff ek, a. m., on the arrival of the boat from Washington, giving ample time for breakingt on giving ample time for breaking to make the consecting at Manasses Junction with a train for Strasburg, at Warrenton, and at Gordonsville with the trains on the Virginia Central railroad for Richmond, Chartotteswille, and Stanation

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	20		THROUGH TICKETS.
	From	Alexandria to	Warrenton
	**	46	Chartottesville 4 25
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	61	46	Strasburg 3 50
	41	6	Lynchburg 6 75
	***	41	Winchesier 3 50
	44	46	Luray 4 25
	++	46	New Market 5 00
	**	6	Middleburg 2 25

Middleburg. ... 2 20
For Lynchburg, connecting with the stages at Charlottesville, on dondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.
For Luray and New Market, connecting with the stages at Culeper on Tuesdays, Tuesdays, and Saturdays.
For Winchester daily, connecting with the stages at Fiedmont. sper on Tuesdays, a human time with the way, we have the Plains For Middleburg daily, connecting with the stages at the Plains W. B. BROCKETT, Agent.

Class No. 1 .- Stone

feet granife, water table, per pattern, at the navy-yard, per lineal foot. ine at feet.

2,000 square feet wandation stone, 4 feet 6 inches by 12 inches, not less than 2 feet wide, per square foot.

220 cubic yards building stone, per cubic yard.

Class No. 2.—Iron Pipe, &c.

760 feet cast-from pipe, 6 inches diameter, ½ inch thick, per foot. 1850 feet cast-from pipe, 4 inches diameter, ½ inch thick, per foot. 200 feet cast-from pipe, 2 inches diameter, ½ inch thick, in lengths of 9 feet each, with spaget and faucet joints, per foot. 800 feet more or less, wrought-from radius, per plan in Civil Engineer's Office, mavy yard. New York, por lineal foot. The above materials to be delivered at the yard aforesaid, free of expense to the United States, and to the satisfaction of the comand the express to use of the comsatisfaction of the comstandant thereof. One-fourts part to be delivered within sixty
stys, two-fourths in ninety, three fourths in one hundred and twenty
stys, and the whole within six months from date of contract. The
dot to be accompanied with the guarantee required by law.
The lowest bidder only will be notified of the acceptance of his
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CONSISTING of the following substantial and fast-running passenger steamers, viz:

MAGNOLIA, CUBA, CREMONA, and EMPRESS. The above boats, carrying the United States mail, will commence their regular trips on the Alabama river on the let of November next, teaving Mobile daily and Montgomery daily, on the arrival of the trains of raifroid ears, and connecting daily at Montgomery with the care, and at Mobile with the New Orks are mail beaus.

One of the above boats will leave Schon on the downward trip at

The above steamers will be commanded by able and experienced fficers, who will use every exertion to secure the comfort and safety

CHARLES MASON.

Commissioner of Patentatreat from importers and from the auctions in New York, a brilliant
supply of very superb new style valvet, tapestry, Benssels, threeply, and superfine ingrain exprise, which we will sell from 20 to
30 per cent. less than former prices.

Also, the most elegant and varied slock of curtain materials we
have ever opened at any former season, comprising brocatelie,
satis and cotton lane, danask terrinos, Turkey red cashmeret, curtain chintz, shade timen, lace and embroidered curtain muslins, in
sets and by the yard, some very elegant and cheap.

We are likewise prepared to offer great inducements to pur
chasers in floor olicioths, rogs, all kinds of quilts and comforts,
blankets from \$2\$ to \$13 per pair, linen steetings all widths, pillow
case linen, damask table disper and table-cloths, damask napkins,
colored step linen, step olicioth, crash, Scotch, Russia, and hucks
back disper, table olicioth, &c.

In fact, without enumerating more, we would state to our friends,
and the public generally, that our stock this senson of every description of dry goods has been bought, at greatly reduced figures, from
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Tickets \$10-halves \$5-quarters \$2 50. s of packages of 25 whole tickets, 5140 00 do 25 half do 70 00 do 25 quarter do 35 00 867,500 !

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Drawn at Wilmington, Del., Saturday, December 30, 1854. SPLENDID LOTTERY.

Class 299, for 1854.

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Certificates of packages of 25 whole tickets, \$130 00

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LOUISIANA. POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, November 22, 1854. DROPOSALS for conveying the mails of the United States from the Latted March, 1855, to the 29th June, 1855, on the following route is the State of Louisiana, will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 3 o'clock, p m., of Monday, the 15th of January, 1855; to be decided by the 17th following:

United States Mail.

JAMES CAMPBELL,

United States Patent Office, Washington, Nov. 20, 1854. Washington, Nov. 20, 1254.

On the petition of Franklin Ranson and Uzziah Wenman, of the city of New York, pray ing for the extension of a patent granted to them on the 13th day of February, 1841. for an improvement in "the mode of applying water to the-engines so as to render their operation more effective," for seven vagus form.

piration of said patent, which takes place on the 13th day of February, 1855—
It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office.
It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1855, at 12 o'ctock, m.; and all persons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Tersons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing; all testimony filed by either party to be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the Office, which will be furnished on application.

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The testimony in the case will be closed on the 19th January, 1855; depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, must be filled in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments, if any, within ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Union, Intelligencer, and Evening Star, Washington, D. C.; Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Scienduck American, New York, New York; and New Hampshire Patriot, Concord, New Hampshire, once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 29th day of January next, the day of hearing.

CHARLES MASON,

Commissioner of Patents.

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P. S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send their bills to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice.

Nov 21—Inw3w

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Sep 30—41m

H. P. Howard, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeu

STATE OF NEW JERSEY. In the matter of "es-cheat" of lands late of Michael Carkuff, deceased. Inquisi O cheen? of lands late of Michael Carkuff, deceased.—Anquisition, &c.

Notice is hereby given that an inquisition out of the court of chancery of New Jersey, touching the real estate whereof Michael Carkuff, late of the county of Hunterdon, in said State, died seised, without heirs to inherit, was duly held by the sheriff of the said county and a jury on the 30th day of August past, and hath been duly executed and returned, and is now on file in the clerk's office of said court. All persons, therefore, who claim any interest in the said real estate are required to appear in the said court, at the city of Trenton, within thereity days after the first day of April, A. D. 1853, and then and there (if they will) traverse the said inquisition pursuant to the laws of this State in such case made and provided.

R. P. THOMPSON,

Attorney General of N. J.

TRESTON, N. J., Sept. 20, 1854.

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20 do tapestry velvet stair and passage carpetings
25 do extra-super three-ply
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25 sets hall and step Venetian do
25 pieces 6 4, 12-4, 14-4 printed druggets
36 printed drugget crumb cloths, richly bordered
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75 pieces embroidered and tamboured curtain mashins
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Together with every variety of fixtures for curtains, such as tassel
toops, centre tassels, and rope, curtain pins, silk and worsted gimps,
&c., to which we respectfully invite the attention of purchasers.

AND WARRANT NOTICE.—In June, 1854, the Commissioner of Pensions issued bounty-land warrant No. 26,522 for 160 acres, under the act of September, 1859, to Elizabeth Cooper, widow of William Cooper, deceased, and mailed the same at Washington city, to the address of E. G. Chamberr, at that place. Said warrant has failed to reach the hands of said E. G. Chambers, or of any person authorized to receive it. A cavent has been entered in the General Land Office to prevent the issue of a patent thereon to a fraudulent claimant, and application will be made to the Commissioner of Pensions for a duplicate of said warrant.

Buggraus, (Ohio.) October 10, 1854.

THE Practical Draughtsman; a complete course of address on the United States, Resolutions of the Course of engineering, architectural and mechanical drawing; by Armengand and Johnson, civil engineers—I vol., quanta. London. 1855. Nov 23.

TOR SALE—That valuable lot on Seventeenth street, at the terminus of the Chespeake and Ohio canal in this city, fronting 100 feet on the canal and about 130 on Seventeenth street, being part square (eauth) 173. It has a large stone warehouse upon it, suitable for a mill or machinery of any description. It adjoins the locks, and is alike convenient to trade on the canal or river. For terms apply on the premise at to Nov 11—3fawlm

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a lair practical test thereof, shall doem the purchase advisable and
proper," inventors and manufacturers are hereby notified that specimens of such arms will be received at this office till the first day of
December next for preliminary examinations; and if found to offer
reasonable expectation of being useful, a purchase will be made of
a sufficient number (say twenty-five of each of those affording such
field. The result of this practical test will aid the Secretary in making a decision.

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ine. Flodoardo Howard, M. D., Professor of Obstetrics and the Diseas of Women and Children. Johnson Eliot, M. D., Professor of Anatomy. James E. Morgan, M. D., Professor of Medical Jurisprudence a

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Bucyrus, (Ohio,) October 10, 1854. Oct 14-law6w